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In response to the action mailed August 29, 2002, please amend the application as follows:

In the specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 13, line 8 with the following rewritten paragraph:

- -- Polymorphic regions in the 5-HTTP gene (GenBank Accession No. X76753) were amplified by polymerase chain reaction using the following primers:
 - 5'-GGAGGAACTGACCCCTGAAAACTG-3' (SEQ ID NO: 1) and
- 5'-GCCGCTCTGAATGCCAGCAC-3' (SEQ ID NO: 2), which flank the 5-HTTP long polymorphic region and correspond with nucleotide positions 2219 to 2242 and 1671 to 1680 of the 5-HTTP gene, respectively. --

Please insert the sequence listing into the specification after the drawings.

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